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In re Patent Application of:

Shawn Abbott Art Unit: 2131

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FOT: USB-COMPLIANT PERSONAL KEY
USING A SMARTCARD PROCESSOR AND
SMARTCARD READER EMULATOR

SMARTCARD READER EMULATOR

STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Request is hereby made to be notified, in writing, of the status of the above-referenced application. The Applicant filed an Amendment and Reply along with a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time on February 3, 2006. To date we have not received any communication for this application.

Please inform us of the status of examination and when we can expect to receive a subsequent communication from the Office.

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